

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :
TAKASHI IPPOSHI ET AL. : EXAMINER: NOT YET ASSIGNED
SERIAL NO: NEW DIVISIONAL :
APPLICATION
FILED: HEREWITH : GROUP ART UNIT: NOT YET
ASSIGNED
FOR: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE, :
METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE
SAME AND RESISTOR

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

Prior to the examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified patent
Application as follows, without prejudice:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on
page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.